

Amendment No. 1 to HB3089

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 3359

House Bill No. 3089*

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by adding the following new sections immediately preceding the last section and by renumbering the subsequent section accordingly:

SECTION _____. The Department of Transportation is directed to add appropriate language and/or symbols to include the City of Bristol as a destination on existing signage for Exit 69 (State Route 394), both northbound and southbound, on Interstate Highway 81 in Sullivan County.

SECTION _____. The Department of Transportation is directed to erect and maintain a sign bearing the language "BRISTOL NEXT 6 INTERCHANGES" on Interstate Highway 81 northbound between Exit 66 and Exit 69 at a location consistent with current Federal Highway Administration and Tennessee Department of Transportation regulations to complement similar signage already in place on Interstate Highway 81 southbound in Virginia.

SECTION _____. The Department of Transportation is directed to erect and maintain a sign for White Top Creek Park (formerly known as the Multi-Purpose Park) in the City of Bristol on State Route 394 east of White Top Road at the entrance to White Top Creek Park. Such sign shall contain language and/or symbols sufficient to direct motorists to the entrance to White Top Creek Park.

SECTION _____. The provisions of this act providing for the erection or modification of signage for the City of Bristol on Interstate Highway 81 and State Route 394 shall become operative only if the federal highway administrator advises the commissioner of transportation in writing that the provisions of this act shall not render Tennessee in violation of federal laws and regulations and subject to penalties prescribed therein.

SECTION ____.

(1) The provisions of this act providing for the erection or modification of signage for the City of Bristol on Interstate Highway 81 and State Route 394 shall become operative only if the City of Bristol in Sullivan County, Tennessee, either remits the estimated cost of the erection of such signs to the department of transportation within one (1) year of the effective date of this act or manufactures such signs in accordance with the provisions of subdivision (2). The City of Bristol shall make such payment prior to any expenditure by the state for the manufacture or installation of such signs. The department shall return any unused portion of the estimated cost to the City of Bristol within thirty (30) days of the erection of such signs. If the actual cost exceeds the estimated cost, the City of Bristol shall remit an amount equal to the difference in such costs to the department within thirty (30) days of receiving an itemized invoice of the actual cost from the department.

(2) The City of Bristol may manufacture and erect such signs provided, that such signs are manufactured and erected pursuant to state and federal guidelines and approved by the department.